LIBEL FILED: June 20, 1951, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 5, 1951, by E. Trudeau & Sons, from North Adams, Mass.

PRODUCT: 376 pounds of dressed poultry at New York, N. Y.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed poultry; Section 402 (b) (2), water had been substituted in part for the article; and, Section 402 (b) (4), water had been added to the article so as to increase its bulk or weight.

DISPOSITION: July 10, 1951. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that samples be delivered to the Food and Drug Administration and that the remainder be destroyed.

17791. Adulteration of dressed poultry. U. S. v. 215 Pounds * * *. (F. D. C. No. 31188. Sample No. 24337–L.)

LIBEL FILED: June 14, 1951, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 31, 1951, by the Penobscot Poultry Co., from Belfast, Maine.

PRODUCT: 215 pounds of dressed poultry at New York, N. Y.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of birds which were contaminated with fecal matter; and, Section 402 (a) (5), the article was in whole or in part the product of a diseased animal.

DISPOSITION: July 10, 1951. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that samples of the product be delivered to the Food and Drug Administration and that the remainder be destroyed.

17792. Adulteration of dressed poultry. U. S. v. 165 Pounds * * *. (F. D. C. No. 31187. Sample No. 24336–L.)

LIBEL FILED: June 14, 1951, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 25, 1951, by A. Amico, from Vineland, N. J.

PRODUCT: 165 pounds of dressed poultry at New York, N. Y.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (5), the article was in whole or in part the product of a diseased animal.

DISPOSITION: July 10, 1951. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that samples of the product be delivered to the Food and Drug Administration and that the remainder be destroyed.

17793. Adulteration of dressed poultry. U. S. v. 121 Pounds * * * (F. D. C. No. 31161. Sample No. 24334-L.)

LIBEL FILED: May 29, 1951, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 15, 1951, by the Orleans Poultry Co., from Owensboro, Ky.

PRODUCT: 121 pounds of dressed poultry at New York, N. Y.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence therein of decomposed birds; and, Section 402 (a) (5), the article was in whole or in part the product of a diseased animal.

Disposition: July 10, 1951. Default decree of condemnation. The court bordered that samples of the product be delivered to the Food and Drug Administration and that the remainder be destroyed.

17794. Adulteration of dressed poultry. U. S. v. 56 Pounds * * * *. (F. D. C. No. 31162. Sample No. 24332–L.)

LIBEL FILED: May 29, 1951, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 9, 1951, by Bentzel's Poultry & Egg House, from York, Pa.

PRODUCT: 56 pounds of dressed poultry at New York, N. Y.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (5), the article was in whole or in part the product of a diseased animal.

Disposition: July 10, 1951. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that samples of the product be delivered to the Food and Drug Administration and that the remainder be destroyed.

SPICES, FLAVORS, AND SEASONING MATERIALS*

17795. Adulteration of dried red peppers. U. S. v. 400 Bags * * * *. (F. D. C. No. 31175. Sample No. 22965-L.)

LIBEL FILED: June 5, 1951, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 8, 1951, by the Amalgamated Trading Corp., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 400 55-pound bags of dried red peppers at Jersey City, N. J.

LABEL, IN PART: "Product of Turkey."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent excreta.

Disposition: July 6, 1951. The Amalgamated Trading Corp., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond for segregation and salvaging of the fit portion. 19,601 pounds of the product were salvaged and the remainder denatured.

17796. Adulteration and misbranding of lemon oil. U. S. v. 2 Cans * * * (F. D. C. No. 31180. Sample Nos. 24022-L, 24026-L.)

LIBEL FILED: June 5, 1951, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 21 and March 2, 1951, by Magnus, Mabee, & Reynard, Inc., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 2 25-pound cans of lemon oil at Hoboken, N. J.

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LABEL, IN PART: (Can) "Magna Lemon Oil American Expressed U. S. P."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), an oil other than oil expressed from the peel of lemons had been substituted in whole or in part for lemon oil U. S. P."

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the label designation "Lemon Oil * * * U. S. P." was false and misleading.

^{*}See also No. 17784.